

Two Free Shows; Kiefer's Hall March 8, 2:15-8:15 p.m. Free Dance After

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Annual Meeting MD Wainwright Held February 20

The Annual Meeting of the MD of Wainwright No. 61 was held in the L.O.O.F. Hall at Wainwright, Alberta, on Saturday, February 20, 1954, as per Section 47 of the MD's Act being Chapter 161 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta. The Returning Officer called the meeting to order at 1:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

Reeve, Secretary - Treasurer and several Councillors in attendance, a large number of ratepayers present.

The R.O. called for nominations for a Chairman of the meeting.

Mr. Perkins nominated Mr. N. G. Vallée, who accepted.

The minutes of the last annual meeting held on February 21, 1953 were read and on motion of Messrs. Vallée and Killorn were accepted as read.

Mr. Dave Sutherland, the Reeve of the MD gave his annual report dealing with many phases of Municipal administration, prefacing his remarks that it was not his intention to accept nomination as Councillor for the next term of office.

Moved by Messrs. Jackson and McCutcheon that the Reeve's report be accepted. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Roberts and Kett that a vote of thanks be extended to Mr. Sutherland for his years of service as Councillor and Reeve of the MD. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Jackson and Smallwood that the report on record of favouring the efforts of the Council in their demands for a share of rental for the Wainwright Camp area from the Provincial Government in lieu of taxation and their claim on the Federal Government for general damage to roads adjacent to the Wainwright Camp area be accepted. Carried.

As per Section 14, Department of Municipal Affairs Act the Inspectors report of office records and procedure dated Nov. 2, 1953 was read, after proper discussion.

Moved by Messrs. Hill and Perkins that the Inspectors report be adopted as read. Carried.

The 1953 Auditor's report and Financial Statement was taken up page by page for explanation and discussion.

At the hour of 3 p.m. the R.O. advised as follows:

Municipal Councillors—that nominations would be received during one hour of this date for the office of Councillor for Division 3 and 4.

Wainwright Municipal Hospital District No. 17 that nominations would be received during one hour of this date for the office of Trustee divisions A, B and C.

Discussion of Financial Statement continued.

At the hour of 4 p.m. the R.O. declared the following:

Municipal Councillors—that Nominations had been received for Councillors Division 3 naming Richard C. Hissett and Arthur J. Patterson, and nomination had been received for Division 4 naming Romeo Belanger, that Romeo Belanger elected by Acclamation as C.R. Div. 4 and that a Poll would be held on Saturday the 20th of March, 1954, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. for Councillor Division 3.

Wainwright Municipal Hospital District No. 17—that nominations had been received for Trustees for Division A, B and C naming N. Garroch, A. E. Kett and H. Lagroix that N. Garroch, A. E. Kett and H. Lagroix elected by Acclamation as Trustees for Divisions A, B and C.

No further discussion of the Financial Statement.

Moved by Messrs. Huxte and Killorn that the Financial Statement be accepted as presented. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Roberts and Jackson that this meeting recommend and ask the Provincial Government to accept a larger responsibility of Educational costs that the real property is

supporting the limit of taxation and that additional grants be made available to MD's to stabilize the amalgamated Tax levy. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Jackson and Killorn that the Secretary Treasurer's report on Tax recovery and other matters appearing in the Annual report be accepted as given. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Ruste and E. P. Taylor that Whereas in these times of highly organized society it is very essential that Agriculture has a strong and sound union to protect its interests. Therefore be it resolved that this MD give a grant to the FUA large enough to cover the membership of all persons who request it. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Hutchinson and Zajic that whereas the present policy of insisting on payments for our wheat in United States dollars is restricting the marketing of our wheat and other farm products. Therefore this annual meeting of Ratepayers of Wainwright MD No. 61, supports the FUA in calling for acceptance of sterling and other currencies or to arrange credits or barter agreements and urges the Council officially to also call on the Federal Government to institute this policy. Copy of this resolution to be sent to the Hon. C. D. Howe, C.D., Field Supervisor for the Wainwright Agricultural Service Board gave this report of the years activities and answered questions.

Moved by Messrs. Patterson and Taylor that the report of the Field Supervisor be accepted. Carried.

The Secretary-Treasurer of the Wainwright Municipal Hospital District No. 17 being in attendance at the meeting read the 1953 Auditors report.

Moved by Messrs. Vallée and Jackson that the report of the Auditors of the Wainwright Municipal Hospital District No. 17 be accepted as read. Carried.

No more business before this meeting.

Moved by Messrs. Kett and Garroch that this Annual meeting adjourn. Carried.

Honored at Shower

Miss Kathleen Laycock (bride-elect of this week) and her fiancé, Mr. Henry Magphand were recipients of many useful and lovely gifts at a shower held in their honor last Friday evening in the Pendergast School. Dancing started the evening entertainment followed by a Hill Billy Wedding performed by a Hill Billy band.

Mr. Whitley made an excellent minister—bringing in the groom with a rope tied around his waist and handed him over to the lovely bride, (Seth Oldham) so nicely made up with rouge, lipstick and all that helps to add to a ladies charm, plus a white wedding gown, a white lace broad-brimmed hat, and carrying a vicious cane which he used to knock out cold the conscientious objector, Ralph King. Mrs. Ralph King, the bride's mother, white haired and worried looking, performed to perfection. Ken Oldham played his guitar and sang as the performers marched out. After a loud applause the evening continued with Kathleen and Henry opening their gifts and extending their thanks and then a lovely lunch was served. Dancing resumed until Home Sweet Home reminded everyone a lovely evening was drawn to a close.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my dear husband, R. T. Meakins, who passed away March 8, 1951.

"In memory you are always near."

Still loved, still missed, still very dear."

—Ever remembered by his wife and daughters, Ellen and Gladys.

Bonspiel Results

The Irma Ladies Curling Club held its annual bonspiel on Saturday, February 27. The weather was much too warm for curling and the ice was heavy but the ladies tightened their muscles and gave those granite stones some mighty heaves. Four rinks from Irma entered the fray, skipped by Mrs. Milne, Mrs. Anquist, Mrs. Fischer and Miss K. Younker. There were three rinks from Hardisty, skipped by Mrs. Hendricks, Mrs. Wells and Mrs. McKie. A rink from Wainwright skipped by Mrs. Brox. Two from Buffalo Coulee skipped by Mrs. Staden and Mrs. Phessey and one from Viking skipped by Mrs. Josephson.

The banquet was held at the Gratton View Hotel. All prizes were donated by the Ladies Club and were won as follows:

Grand Challenge

1. K. Younker, Irene Younker, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Lawson. Prize—4 Electric Clocks.

2. Mrs. Art Phessey of Buffalo Coulee. Prize—4 Sugar and Cream Sets.

3. Mrs. Geo. Fischer's rink. Prize—4 vases.

4. Mrs. McKie's rink, Hardisty. Prize—4 Cups and Saucers.

Second Event

1. Mrs. Milne's rink. Prize—4 Lamps.

2. Mrs. Brox, Wainwright. Prize—Cups and Saucers.

3. Mrs. Wells, Hardisty. Prize—Picture Frames.

4. Mrs. Staden, Buffalo Coulee. Prize—Pepper and Salt Shakers.

The results of the Men's Annual Bonspiel held the week of February 17:

Our mild weather made everyone a little dubious but nevertheless it remained cool enough for good playing and the rinks engaged in combat had opportunity to show their skill. There was a delicious banquet served in the basement of the Irma United Church by the Ladies Curling Club and the hungry curlers showed their appreciation by applauding the cooks no less than three times.

The prizes were shared out as follows:

Grand Challenge

1. Reynolds, of Wainwright. Prize—Smoking Stands, donated by Curling Club.

2. Kjelland of Viking. Prize—Ship Lamps, donated by Curling Club.

3. C. Smallwood. Prize—Trophies, donated by Gratton View Hotel.

4. Waldon of Wainwright. Prize—Silver Cream and Sugar sets, donated by Curling Club.

Gas Co. Event

1. Dobry, Viking. Prize—Electric Clocks, donated by Gas Co.

2. Loader. Prize—Trophies, donated by C. W. Boon and Co.

3. Sneath, Loughed. Prize—Ronson Lighters, donated by Curling Club.

4. Reynolds of Wainwright. Prize—Pictures, donated by Calgary Power.

Merchants

1. Dobry, Viking. Prize—Trays, donated by Irma Curling Club.

2. S. M. Brown. Prize—Flower Bowls, from T. Eaton Co.

3. Sneath, Loughed. Prize—Trophies from Brewster's.

4. Wright, Fabyan. Prize—Carving Sets from Curling Club.

Citizens

1. A. C. Milne. Prize—Lamps, donated by Curling Club.

2. Ackroyd, of Wainwright. Prize—Electric Clocks by Curling Club.

3. Golka, Hardisty. Prize—Travelarm Clocks by Byers Transport.

4. E. Jones. Prize—Playing Cards, donated by Birks Co.

Come to the meeting of the Afternoon Group of the W.A. on Thursday at 3 p.m. in the church, March 11. It's a friendly meeting and you'll find out who has been your mysterious but kindly friend through the past year.

Social Evening Held For District Residents

A Social Evening sponsored by the Strawberry Plains W.I. was held in the school house on February 26.

The program opened by all singing O Canada. Then the Veer sisters danced the Highland Fling and a contest to see who could best write his or her name backwards was arranged by Margaret Setter and Mrs. E. Jackson.

A piano solo by Maureen Dempsey followed and Nellie Cairns gave a recitation and Kathleen Spooner played a piano solo. There was a piano duet by Marlene and Marion Setter and songs by Johnny Murray and a piano selection by Margaret Spooner. Mrs. Tomlinson and Mrs. Dawson then arranged a contest of guessing advertisements clipped from the Family Herald. Then followed a recitation by Doreen Setter and songs with guitar accompaniment by Betty and Margaret Passtor.

Then the program closed with a contest to see who could draw the best house. When the entries to this contest were handed in Mr. and Mrs. Martin Creasey and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Setter were called forward to select the most choice residences and the real reason for this social gathering became apparent. It was really a farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. Creasey and Mr. and Mrs. Setter who will be leaving shortly to make new homes in the Fabyan district. Mrs. J. Jackson then came forward and on behalf of the friends and neighbors presented the guests of honor with beautiful electric table lamps.

Coffee was then prepared by Mrs. Carl Gulbraa and while the ladies were setting out the lunch, music was enjoyed by Murray's orchestra.

After lunch, dancing to the music of Murray's orchestra finished out the evening.

The Strawberry Plains W.I. held their meeting last Wednesday at Mrs. Otto Setter's with 8 members and 5 visitors present, a good turnout over the muddy roads. The social evening for February 26 was discussed and paper on Citizenship was read by Mrs. E. Dawson and enjoyed by all and Mrs. J. Jackson won the raffle. It was also announced by our president that a mistake was put in the paper on the March roll call, it should have read a four line poem about your community, composed by yourself, or a fine of 25c instead of 5c.

The new home to be for the E. Tomlinson family was moved from the community to leave last week. These folks will really be missed in the district, also the rest that will be leaving the district this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Reber, Gerald and Faye motored to Viking Saturday and visited at the W. Meyers home.

Garth Tomlinson is back home again for a time.

Southern Sayings

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the many kind friends who surprised me on my 79th birthday with their visit, programme, gifts, cards and bounteous lunch. I value and appreciate your thoughtful friendliness to me.

—Mrs. L. A. Johnson.

March came in like a lion during a brief spell of cold and windy weather, but again we seem to be returned to the grand warm days we have enjoyed almost continually since Jan. 31. However, we can at least expect some good snowstorms before official spring is here. At time of writing the \$64.00 question is will we or will we not have an ice carnival March 6?

Legion Notes

The Irma Branch of the Canadian Legion wish to thank the people of Irma and district for their generous support to the recent Polio Campaign. A special thanks to the Irma Branch B.P.O. Elks for their donation of \$100.00 to this worthy cause, to the school children whose generous contributions to the coin collection was deeply appreciated, and to the girls who gave their time to the Polio Tag Day.

The combined efforts of all concerned resulted in a total collection of \$352.63, a very creditable showing indeed.

Regular meeting of the Irma Branch Canadian Legion was held in the Legion Hall on Tuesday evening with Cde. Keith Coffin in the chair, ten members present. Plans are being made for the Legion's Annual Sports day in June. Watch this paper for further particulars in the near future.

Northern Nuggets

Congratulations are in order this week for two former Orbindale residents, Mr. and Mrs. Gar Coulman, who on Tuesday, March 2 celebrated their Silver Wedding anniversary. To honor them on this day, their elder daughter, Mrs. Clifford Ennott, entertained a number of friends at supper in her home in the Salteaux district. A dance was held in Orbindale school that evening. This was a happy occasion all around as it was also the first anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ennott (nee Thoms Coulman) and Gar, who had been a patient in hospital for several days previous and was allowed home just in time for the celebration. Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Prior celebrated their tenth anniversary on a day also.

We are sorry to report a number of sad people on the death list. Patients in Manville hospital are Mrs. Ivan Currie, Mrs. Lyn Hunter and Gordon Herder, while Miss Annie Pitt has been ill at home requiring a visit from the doctor.

Mrs. Gordon Ramsay has been away with Billy visiting her brother and his family at Battleford. While she was away her nephew Mr. G. Barreth, arrived from southern Alberta for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Brady and Dight and Mrs. Maureen Larson motored to Barhead Friday last for a short visit with the D. Herbert family.

Two rinks from out this way skipped by Mr. Edgar Jones and Mr. Earl Blanchard are curling in the Buffalo Coulee bonspiel this week.

At the W.I. Card Party at Orbindale Saturday evening, first prizes went to Mrs. P. Kellar and Mr. P. Miller, with Mrs. Eric Prior and Lawrence Kellar taking the consolations.

The Triangle Assoc. meeting was well attended Monday evening. Plans were made for our part in the Carnival and for the Bingo at Albert on March 27.

Don't forget the Junior Red Cross dance at Orbindale on March 12.

Buffalo Coulee W.I. will meet one day early this month on March 17 at the home of Mrs. J. Allen. This will be our 7th anniversary meeting—visitors welcome—everyone brings lunch. Roll call—a home-made hat, with a prize for the best one. Mrs. R. McRoberts will have a paper on Education, and the contest.

The annual meeting of the North Irma Mutual Telephone Co. will be held at Albert school on Saturday afternoon, Mar. 20. Down from the city to attend Coulman's Silver Wedding celebrations were Mr. and Mrs. H. Cockroft, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Burke and Mr. and Mrs. R. Summersgill.

DONATIONS

Further donations in memory of the late Mr. Thomas E. Yaw. To the Alberta Protestant Home for Children: Mr. and Mrs. J. Marshall; Mr. J. A. Hedley; Mrs. G. Walkinshaw; Mr. and Mrs. W. Sanders; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Jackson; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jackson; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Thurston; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Likness; Mr. J. Wood; Mrs. Fleming Sr.; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Fleming and family.

To the United Church Memorial Fund from Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burton.

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Kiefer's SHOWS

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Family

Friday, March 12 8:40 p.m.

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Progress Presents Problems For Farmers, Says Dr. Weir

DAUPHIN, Man.—Increases in size of farms and greater use of mechanical power and modern machinery has created important problems for farmers, Dr. W. J. Weir, dean of the faculty of agriculture and home economics, University of Manitoba, stated while speaking at the annual banquet of the Dauphin chamber of commerce recently.

One of these problems is that the farmer requires more capital to establish himself on a farm. "The farmer as a landowner is also the worker and today he is a worker with a relatively large amount of capital invested in his job," Dr. Weir said.

"In Manitoba studies on farms in the Red River Valley, the average total capital investment per farm is approximately \$55,000 and in the south central area (Killarney) average capital is \$38,000."

"Trends in farming over the past 30 years indicate that agriculture is moving away from the status of self-sufficiency to that of commercialization. About 30 years ago farmers disposed of about 65 per cent. of their total production through the market. Today this is closer to 80 per cent. of the value of total production."

Modern tractors and larger more efficient auxiliary farm machines not only perform more work, but also do it more quickly. This change in power and machinery has resulted in farms increasing in size and requiring less labor to operate them.

The consequence is that farm labor handles more land and livestock per worker, resulting in higher returns to farmers. In 1921 average gross cash income per Canadian worker was \$927 while in 1951 it was \$3,386.

Changes taking place in agriculture stimulated research, and agriculture as a profession outgrew its dependence for advancement on its conception as an "art" and accepted the challenge of a highly technical and scientific field.

"One thing, however, is interesting and stimulating and that is the rapid acceptance of the place of research in agricultural development, by governmental, commercial and private agencies."

"The future success of our pro-

fessional agricultural development and in fact our whole national economy, will depend largely on the continuing support which agricultural research will receive."

Significant changes have also taken place in the realm of agricultural education, Dr. Weir declared. These changes have been away from the practical degree course and towards specialization in definite fields.

In relation to agriculture on an international scale, Dr. Weir quoted the following:

"Most of the people in the world are hungry most of the time; yet by applying present knowledge to problems of production and distribution, we could ensure reasonable standards of nutrition to all."

Topic of Dr. Weir's address was "Trends in Agriculture". He was introduced by Don Fraser and thanked by John Gardner.

TO BUILD HOTEL AT HIGH PRAIRIE

HIGH PRAIRIE, Alta.—Construction has commenced on the new \$275,000 Eldon Hotel, to be erected here.

The frame and stucco, two-story, 100-foot by 122-foot building will contain 40 rooms. A modern cafe and banquet room, waiting room for ladies, sample rooms for travelling, semi-private bath, cement basement will be included in the structure which will have hot water baseboard heating throughout.

There will be indirect lighting on the main floor, while acoustic tile will render the buildings sound proof. Half of the 40 rooms will have private baths and the remainder semi-private bath facilities.

Orchards sometimes grow to a height of eight feet.

What's In A Name?

Ever wonder at some of the odd-named towns?

For instance, if you ever checked the monikers of the rinks entered in the Saskatchewan Curling Association you would be up to your elbow and eyebrow in towns with unusual names.

You would find some Success and Unity in Springfield, Drinkwater and Goodwater, but there isn't much of an Outlook in Oxbow. Although there are plenty of lakes you can't forget Duck, Gull Lake and Rabbit Lake.

Guns aren't allowed at Snipe Lake but you can always use a Cut Knife to get some Grasswood. An excellent Rapiptev can be gained from Cherry Ridge to Carrot River which was once a scene of Conquest during Wartime.

And if you don't go for all this Nomanas, see your representative at Notawa, not Ottawa.

Tell him Smiley sent you.

—Yorkton Enterprise.

Certified Seed Available For Manota Potato Variety

For the first time since Manota potato variety was named and licensed by the University of Manitoba in 1952, certified seed is available for sale. It is announced by officials of the Extension Service, Manitoba Department of Agriculture.

The Manota originated from a cross made in North Dakota in 1938 and in 1945 it was received by the University of Manitoba as a seedling. It was tested widely in Manitoba and to some extent in other provinces of Canada.

Seed stocks have been increased during the past two years and at present growers have a supply of 5,000 bushels of certified seed. About half of this quantity is being kept by seed growers and the rest is being offered for sale.

Do You Know That...

The body of a typical adult man contains slightly more than five quarts of blood.

Many Hardy Prairie Plants Introduced By Medal Winner

Dr. A. F. Yeager, who will be awarded the eighth Stevenson Memorial Gold Medal at the annual meeting of the Manitoba Horticultural Association in Winnipeg, February 18, is being honoured for his "conspicuous contribution of new distinctive hardy garden plants."

Vegetable improvement has been Dr. Yeager's major effort. While Professor of Horticulture at the North Dakota State College, Fargo, he developed bush type tomatoes which were exceptionally early, productive and even-ripening. He has since bred varieties very rich in vitamin content.

The Sugar Corn is a parent of the Morden hybrid, Sugar Prince. Buttercup squash provided prairie gardens with an acceptable substitute for sweet potatoes. An outstanding example of Dr. Yeager's other varieties is the New Hampshire Midget, a small, sweet and early watermelon.

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Millions For Oil Search

VICTORIA, B.C.—The Southern Production Co., Inc., of North Worth, Tex., has announced it would spend \$5,000,000 in an 18-month search for oil and gas in the Peace River block of Alberta and British Columbia.

A company spokesman said here his firm had completed arrangements with the Canadian Atlantic Oil Co., of Calgary, for the exploration program. Canadian Atlantic has 4,000,000 acres of potential oil and gas lands under lease.

The American announcement appeared to substantiate reports that the West Coast Transmission Co. was winning its bid for the United States approval of a natural gas pipeline from the Peace River area to the Pacific northwest.

The U.S. Federal Power Commission is holding hearings to determine whether West Coast or Northwest Pipeline Co. should get the franchise to supply the states. Northwest plans to tap reserves in Mexico.

The Canadian government already has given permission to West Coast.

Don't Neglect Slipping FALSE TEETH

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Yummy! Chelsea Bun Loaf

A treat you can make easily with

new fast DRY Yeast

Now you have Fleischmann's Fast Dry Yeast, forget about the oldtime hazards of yeast baking! Always at hand—always full-strength and fast-rising! Keep a month's supply in your cupboard! Make this delicious Chelsea Bun Loaf—cut in slices for buttering, or separate the buns.

CHELSEA BUN LOAF

Make 3 pans of buns from this recipe—dough will keep in refrigerator for a week.

Scald $\frac{1}{4}$ c. milk, $\frac{1}{4}$ c. granulated sugar, $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. salt and $\frac{1}{4}$ c. shortening; cool to lukewarm. Meanwhile, measure into a large bowl $\frac{1}{2}$ c. lukewarm water, 1 tsp. granulated sugar, stir until sugar is dissolved. Sprinkle with 1 envelope Fleischmann's Fast Rising Dry Yeast. Let stand 10 min.

THIN AIR WELL. Add cooled milk mixture and stir in well-leavened egg. Stir in 2 c. coarsely-bread flour; beat until smooth. Work in 20 c. coarsely-bread flour, knead on floured board until smooth and elastic. Ball, place in greased bowl, cover with cloth, let rise in refrigerator 1 1/2 hours.

Roll dough into 12 equal balls. Shape each into a bun, roll in brown sugar and grease top, cover and set in warm place. Bake in 350° oven until doubled in bulk. Cream 1 lb. butter or margarine and blend in 1 c. brown sugar (lightly pressed down), 1/2 tsp. ground cinnamon and 1 tsp. corn syrup; spread about 1/2 in this mixture in bottom of a greased loaf pan (8 1/2 x 4 1/2) and sprinkle with pecan halves. Punch down buns, brush with butter and sprinkle with brown sugar. Spread with remaining sugar mixture and sprinkle with brown sugar. Loosely roll up like a jelly roll. Cut roll into 6 slices. Place in prepared pan. Grease top. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in moderate oven, 350°, 25-30 min. Let stand in pan for 5 min. before turning out.

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How the Blood Transfusion Service Operates In Saskatchewan

—By Your Red Cross



One of the 27,988 volunteer donors in Saskatchewan makes a contribution. A contribution, which may save a life or will aid in the fight against polio.

CENTRAL depots are located in Regina and Saskatoon. Trained teams operate from these centres touring the rural areas and cities where Blood Donor Clinics are held. At the depots specially trained staffs test and group the blood. The whole blood or plasma transfused by sterile transfusion equipment is distributed throughout the province. Regardless of distance or method of transportation, the patient receives the life-saving blood without charge.

At the end of fourteen days any whole blood on hand at the depot is processed into plasma which will keep indefinitely; no blood is wasted. It is planned that this is so effective in the treatment of shock.

Not only does this service mean a great financial saving to anyone requiring blood transfusions, but adequate supplies of whole blood and plasma available at all times saves many lives.

In one year, 6,500 people met violent death in Canada, many of whom would be alive today had immediate transfusion facilities been available. In one year 21 per cent. of all maternal deaths were due to haemorrhage—three quarters of these lives might have been saved by immediate transfusion.

Under this plan any patient requiring a blood transfusion now receives it entirely free of charge. Not one penny is charged for one drop of blood. Nor is there any

This extra supply will be used to subsidizing the transfusion, combat the crippling effects of polio.

How You Can Help

The success of the Canadian Red Cross Blood Transfusion Service depends upon every citizen recognizing his or her personal responsibility by being prepared to donate their blood when required and if able to do so.

Other Red Cross Work In Saskatchewan in 1955

Red Cross provided 20,000 patients with free Blood Transfusions, made 30,000 Rh tests, gave 1,000 patients free plasma. Gave 5,000 patients hospital care. Treated 3,000 outpatients. Loaned 707 beds, articles. Collected 60,000 ounces of mother's milk for sick babies. Taught swimming to over 12,000 pupils at 70 different places. Assisted 414 victims of 87 fires with 4,000 articles of bedding and clothing. Assisted 221 persons to secure artificial limbs and other devices. Volunteered women made 453 articles for disaster relief. Similar work is carried out in every other province and all provinces combine for effective National and International Disaster Relief.

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